

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 53080  
: Confirmation Number: 3846  
Hideyasu TAKATSUJI, et al. :  
: Group Art Unit: 1795  
Application No.: 10/771,411 :  
: Examiner: Mercado, Julian A  
: Filed: February 05, 2004  
For: LITHIUM ION SECONDARY BATTERY

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 17, 2008, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire June 17, 2008, please reconsider the above-identified application based upon the following remarks.